

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463.

John Camp, Treasurer South Carolina Republican Party 1508 Lady Street Columbia, SC 29201

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Reference: Amended 12 Day Pre-General Report (10/1/98-10/14/98), dated 1/29/99

Dear Mr. Camp:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Line 12 of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$0 in transfers from affiliated committees. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule A, however, indicates the total to be \$194,530,00. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

-Schedule H4 of your report discloses an activity that is also reported as a 100% federal activity on Schedule F. Please be advised that a 100% federal activity does not by definition qualify as a shared expenses to be allocated between your federal and non-federal accounts. This activity should only be itemized on a Schedule F for Line 25 of the Detailed Summary Page. Any reimbursement from your committee's non-federal account for any portion of this activity is not permissible and must be returned. Please amend your report to clarify this discrepancy.

-Line 25 of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$0 in Coordinated Expenditures. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule F, however, indicates the total to be \$755,932.12. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above

problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

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